



## NOTICE TO COMPLY

CU-36945056-102423

Institution Name:	Kernel University	Institution Telephone:	(714) 995-9988
Institution Code:	36945056	Administrator Name:	Matthew D Woo
Street Address:	905 South Euclid St, 2 <sup>nd</sup> Floor, Fullerton, CA 92832	Inspection Date:	Oct 24 <sup>th</sup> 2023

The Bureau for Private Postsecondary Education (Bureau) issues this Notice to Comply pursuant to California Education Code (CEC) section 94935 and Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations (5 CCR) section 75010.

California Private Postsecondary Education Act: [https://www.bppe.ca.gov/lawsregs/ppe\\_act.pdf](https://www.bppe.ca.gov/lawsregs/ppe_act.pdf)  
 Title 5 of the California Code of Regulations: <https://www.bppe.ca.gov/lawsregs/regs.pdf>

Violation	Code Section Violated	Description of the violation and required correction.
1	CEC § 94909 (a)(9)	<p><b>Violation Description:</b> The institution’s catalog failed to provide both the schedule of total charges for a period of attendance and an estimated schedule of total charges for the entire educational program.</p> <p><b>Correction:</b> To remedy this violation please provide both the schedule of total charges for a period of attendance and an estimated schedule of total charges for the entire educational program, if they are the same, please make a statement to that effect pursuant to CEC § 94909 (a)(9). Provide proof of correction.</p>
2	CEC §94909 (a) (11)	<p><b>Violation Description:</b> The institution’ catalog included a statement specifying that, if a student obtains a loan to pay for an educational program, the student will have the responsibility to repay the full amount of the loan plus interest, less the amount of any refund, and that, if the student has received federal student financial aid funds, the student is entitled to a refund of the moneys not paid from federal student financial aid program funds, however The statement is not verbatim.</p>

Violation	Code Section Violated	Description of the violation and required correction.
		<p><b>Correction:</b> The institution shall update the above statement on page 52 of the catalog pursuant to CEC §94909(a)(11). Provide proof of correction.</p>
3	CEC § 94897(s) in conjunction with Cal. Civ. Code §1788.93	<p><b>Violation Description:</b> The institutions' catalog contains statements regarding the withholding of student transcripts if a student owes a debt to the institution. These statements violate California Civil Code 1788.93 referenced below.</p> <p><b>CA Civ Code § 1788.93.</b>  <i>Notwithstanding any provision of law, a school shall not do any of the following:</i></p> <p><i>(a) Refuse to provide a transcript for a current or former student on the grounds that the student owes a debt.</i></p> <p><i>(b) Condition the provision of a transcript on the payment of a debt, other than a fee charged to provide the transcript.</i></p> <p><i>(c) Charge a higher fee for obtaining a transcript, or provide less favorable treatment of a transcript request because a student owes a debt.</i></p> <p><i>(d) Use transcript issuance as a tool for debt collection.</i></p> <p><b>Correction:</b> The institution shall remove the non-compliant statements from page 44 of the catalog.</p>

Pursuant to 5 CCR section 75010(d), the Institution may do either of the following:

- (1) Within 30 days from the date of the inspection, sign and return the notice to comply, declaring under penalty of perjury that the violation was corrected and describing how compliance was achieved; or
- (2) Within 30 days from the date of the inspection, file with the Bureau a written notice of disagreement, specifying the minor violations described in the notice to comply with which the person approved to operate the institution disagrees, and appealing it by requesting an informal office conference. If a written notice of disagreement is not timely filed with the Bureau, the right to appeal is deemed to have been waived.

**Pursuant to CEC section 94935(h), failure to comply with the notice to comply will result in the Bureau taking appropriate administrative enforcement action.**

The Notice to Comply was given to the Institution's owner, person in control, chief academic officer, chief executive officer, chief operating officer, institution director, or any person delegated by any of the aforementioned persons to facilitate the inspection or accept such notice as set forth below.

Notice To Comply Given To Name & Title:	Matthew D Woo, President
Bureau Compliance Analyst Name:	Gurinder Sandhu
Bureau Compliance Analyst Signature:	<i>G Sandhu</i>

## NOTICE TO COMPLY DECLARATION

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I declare under penalty of perjury that each violation identified in this Notice to Comply has been corrected and attached with this declaration is evidence to support the correction of each violation identified.

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Signature

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Date

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Print Name and Title